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CLAIM AMENDMENTS

The following is a complete listing of the pending claims:

1. (Previously presented) A method of making a first-surface optical disk, comprising:

providing a father stamper, wherein the father stamper comprises spiral protrusions on a first portion of a first surface and bumps on a second portion of the first surface, the spiral protrusions and bumps corresponding to original laser cuts:

coating the first surface of the father stamper with nickel;

separating the nickel from the first surface to produce a second stamper having groove recesses and pits on a first surface, wherein the groove recesses are mirror images of the spiral protrusions and the pits are mirror images of the bumps;

covering the first surface of the second stamper with a plastic material; separating the plastic material from the second stamper, wherein the plastic material has lands corresponding to the groove recesses of the second stamper and bumps corresponding to the pits;

depositing a phase-change material directly over the lands and bumps, wherein the phase-change material is in a first state upon deposition and in a second state after being written to, and wherein the change from the first state to the second state changes the optical phase of the phase-change material in the positive direction, the lands forming a writeable area of the first-surface disk and the bumps forming a read-only area of the first-surface disk; and

depositing a dielectric layer over the phase-change material to form the first-surface optical disk, the dielectric layer being deposited to have a thickness that enhances an optical phase difference between the first and second states of the phase-change material, the first-surface optical disk consisting of no further layers.

- 2. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the covering comprises injecting the plastic material using an injection molding process.
- 3. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the phase-change material is an SbInSn alloy.
- 4. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the providing comprises: providing a glass master disk with a first and a second principle surface; depositing a photoresist layer on the first principle surface of the disk; removing selected portions of the photoresist layer; depositing nickel over the photoresist layer; and separating the nickel from the photoresist layer to form the father stamper.
- 5. (Original) The method of claim 4, wherein the removing is by laser ablation.
- 6. (Original) The method of claim 4, wherein the removing comprises: exposing the selected portions of the photoresist layer; and etching the selected portions.
- 7. (Original) The method of claim 6, wherein the exposing is performed with a laser and results in the original laser cuts in the photoresist layer.
- 8. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein data is written to the lands from exposure by a light source.
- 9. (Original) The method of claim 4, further comprising rotating the glass master disk and exposing the selected portions with a laser prior to the etching.
- 10. (Original) The method of claim 4, wherein the deposited photoresist layer is between approximately 20 nm and 120 nm.

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- 11. (Original) The method of claim 4, wherein the deposited photoresist layer is between approximately 80 and 90 nm.
- 12. (Cancelled)
- 13. (currently amended) The method of claim $\underline{1}$ 42, wherein the dielectric layer comprises silicon oxynitride.
- 14. (cancelled)
- 15. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the second stamper is a mother stamper.
- 16. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the father stamper is a first generation stamper, and the second stamper is an even-numbered generation stamper.
- 17. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the second stamper has features that are opposite in polarity to features of the father stamper.
- 18. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the plastic material is a polycarbonate material.

Claims 19 – 31 (Cancelled)